

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Palese et al.

Application No.: 08/444,994

Group Art Unit: 1814

Filed: May 19, 1995

Examiner: K. Lau

For: IDENTIFICATION AND USE OF  
ANTIVIRAL COMPOUNDS THAT  
INHIBIT INTERACTION OF HOST  
CELL PROTEINS AND VIRAL  
PROTEINS REQUIRED FOR VIRAL  
REPLICATION

Attorney Docket No.: 6923-054

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PETITION TO EXTEND TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated March 27, 1997, be extended for a period of three (3) months from June 27, 1997 to and including Monday, September 29, 1997.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$465 (small entity). Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: September 29, 1997

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